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Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Cushing enjoyed Sunday at Crystal.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rudick are enjoying a two weeks' vacation at Beulah.

"Doc" Harmon and wife returned Monday from a week's outing at Houghton lake.
Mrs. Richard Hilsinger and daughter spent the week end visiting with friends in Riverdale.
Earl Light is in Detroit this week on business for the Republic Motor Truck Company Inc.
Charles Hayward spent the week end in Breckenridge, a guest at the home of his parents.
Mrs. Bert Hicks and son visited at the home of her parents in Breckenridge the latter part of the week.
F. W. Ruggles and C. W. Parson of the R & P Tractor company are in Kansas City this week on business.
Chester M. Davis, office manager of the Central Michigan Light & Power company, spent Sunday at Crystal.
Hugh Byers is in Kansas City and Chicago this week on business for the Republic Motor Truck Company Inc.
The next regular meeting of Alma Chapter No. 43, O. E. S. will be held Friday evening, August 2nd, in the new Masonic hall.
Mrs. Clayton F. Dornier of Washington, D. C., is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. William J. Smith, on Second avenue.
The next regular meeting of the Royal Temple, No. 16, Pythian Sisters will be held in the K. of P. Hall, Tuesday evening, August 6.
James Stauffer left the latter part of last week for Great Lakes, Illinois, to go into training. Mr. Stauffer enlisted in the navy a week ago.
Rev. Raum of the Church of Christ was in Beulah last week attending a church convention and also enjoying a short vacation at Crystal lake.
C. R. Murphy spent the greater part of last week enjoying an automobile trip through the eastern part of the state, especially through the district bordering on Lake St. Clair and the St. Clair river.
W. E. Baker, who has been at Sandusky, Ohio, for the past ten days attending the Ohio, Indiana, Michigan Photographers convention has returned to his home in this city.
The Paris cafe has secured the services of a new first-class chef, who comes to this city from Detroit. He has had experience in some of the best restaurants in Detroit and Chicago—adv.

The regular monthly meeting of the Red Cross will be held Wednesday, p. m., August 7th, at the Red Cross rooms, Masonic Home. The head of each division will please have her report of the month's work ready.
James Howe, clerk at the C. R. Murphy drug store for the past year, has resigned his position and gone into the service. Howe is a former high school athlete of note, and had been expected to make a place on the various teams of Alma college this coming year.
Next Tuesday, August 6th, will be Oriental Day for the Woman's Home Missionary society of the M. E. church, and if the weather permits, the program and decorations will be out of doors, in the lower garden at the home of Mrs. Ezra Smith, 740 State St. All interested are invited to attend and be served by the Queen Esther girls in Oriental attire.
REV. W. S. S.

EAST ALMA

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett King and daughter motored to Marion last Friday and returned home Sunday. They report lots of red raspberries that need pickers.
The Forest Rule children are very sick with the measles.
The Parents club met with Mrs. Holiday yesterday (Thursday).
The Red Cross society met in Eastminster chapel August 1st.
The new "Republic" school is making progress again, after the delay caused by shortage of iron rods to support the cement work. The fire-proof flooring is finished so far as the first floor is concerned and now the window frames are in place.
"A Visit to China" illustrated by fine stereoscopic views (colored) will be given in Eastminster chapel Sunday night at 7:30. Do not miss this chance of hearing a most interesting talk suitable for both the children and grown-ups.
Miss Leitch Wood is visiting relatives in Lansing.
Look out for news of the Sunday School picnic next week.
REV. W. S. S.

ITHACA

The stockholders of the Ithaca Farmers' Elevator company held their annual meeting at Brown's opera house Saturday with nearly 100 stockholders present. E. A. Wood, Bert Mullinger and Lee Townsend were re-elected directors for three years and Lyman K. Miller for one year to fill vacancy. The secretary read the annual report of the year's business which amounted to approximately \$20,000. The company was shown to be in a flourishing condition financially. The report showed a gain of 10 per cent when was considered a fairly good gain in view of the fact that the beet outbreak has been decimating throughout the entire season and hence were hard to handle on account of the moisture they contained this year. However, the company owns a flow dryer and by using this night and day through some parts of the year was able to save the beans as they were marketed.
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Convis and the latter's mother, Mrs. E. M. Hayt, motored to Clara Thursday where Mrs. Hayt will spend several weeks visiting. Mr. and Mrs. Convis then went to Farwell where they spent the week end as guests of Mrs. T. N. Fuller.
Mrs. Clarence Waldorf and daughter, Aletha, of Pompeii spent Wednesday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Foster.
The concert given at the Presbyterian church in the interest of the Red Cross netted that society over \$100.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jessup of Washington, D. C., are the guests of his mother, Mrs. Emma Jessup.
Prosecuting Attorney O. L. Smith was in Port Huron in the interests of the estate of Lizzie Stevenson.
Miss Eva Baker, who has been spending the last three weeks with her mother in Henderson, has returned to Ithaca.
Orlo Roberts is visiting in Elkhart, Ind.
The daughters of Claude and Arthur Knapp had their tonsils removed Wednesday.
Mrs. Elmer J. Heath of Albany, N. Y., is spending several weeks in Ithaca visiting friends.
Mr. and Mrs. John Hicks of St. Johns spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rice.
Mrs. A. E. Finney left Wednesday for Battle Creek to spend some time visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. A. Randall.
Mrs. Mabel W. Smith returned Thursday from Chicago where she has been taking a special course in music and art. She will teach in Holland again next year.
Mrs. Robert Russell entertained a number of women at a thimble party Tuesday afternoon.
Samuel Simmons, a farmer living two miles east of Ithaca, lost a valuable horse by lightning during an electric storm recently.
Mrs. Eugene Ingles of Greenville, who has been spending the past four weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Newell Dancer, returned home Wednesday.
Miss Elsie Borden, who has been spending some time visiting in Elkhart, Ind., returned home Wednesday.
Mrs. G. W. Dunham of Albion is the guest of Mrs. T. L. McCredie.
Mrs. Archie McCall entertained her brother, D. E. Coolidge, and sister, Mrs. E. C. Robinson, of Lansing over the week end.
Mrs. A. S. Barber gave a tea Saturday afternoon in honor of Mrs. F. Cowdrey of Howell, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Richardson, and other relatives.
Messames Gibbs and Gorman are chaperoning a party of young ladies who are spending two weeks at Crystal.
Among those who spent Sunday at Crystal were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Price, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gibbs, Dr. and Mrs. H. F. Kilborn, Major Harris and wife from San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Crawford and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Graham, Miss Gladys Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Fred VanBuskirk, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Helfer and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fleming.
Mrs. Fannie Netzer is quite ill.
Ford Ferguson of Elsie is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ferguson of Ithaca.
Miss Gladys Maroff of Midland is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hass and other relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Stacey and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Dodge, of Emerson are visiting relatives in Lansing, Olivet and Charlotte.
Mrs. Arthur Holcomb of Lansing is visiting in the homes of Ben Hall and Ben Jessup.
Mrs. Alva Reeves and sons of Owosso spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kennett.
Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Vandeventer are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Vandeventer and other relatives.
Mrs. Emma Myrland left Monday morning for Newport Beach, Cal., to see her daughter, Mrs. Glen Helms, who was run down by an automobile near her home on July 4 and so badly injured that she will be months, if ever, before she will be able to walk.
Mrs. Joe Hass received a card from her nephew, Charlie Moye, saying that he had arrived overseas. Charlie is in Battery D, 11th Field Artillery and was a clerk in the McCormack store at the time of his enlistment. His parents reside in Greenville.
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Foster are visiting their son, Ned, and daughter, Mrs. Clarence Waldorf, of Pompeii.
Mrs. Alex. McArthur and son Robert, have returned from St. Johns, where they have been visiting Mrs. E. J. Warren, Mrs. McArthur's mother, for the past two weeks.
Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Burt were in Saginaw Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roudie attended the Old State Road School reunion Friday at Mr. and Mrs. George Long's in Pompeii.
Born, July 25, to Victor Smith and wife, a daughter, Arvilla Katherine.
Mr. and Mrs. David Reichard are entertaining his sister from Maple Rapids.
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Webster are spending a few days at Crystal.
Mr. Rector, who was the science teacher in the Ithaca high school last year has gone to Grand Rapids to visit his parents before entering army service.
The revival meetings held in the tent will be continued for some time as much interest is manifested and large crowds are in attendance.
Saturday evening an open air meeting was held on the vacant lot across from the Herald office.
West Percy Bertrand has been confined to the house several days with a sprained ankle.
Mr. and Mrs. George Voreas, brother and Miss Applebale, cousin of J. C. Voreas, and Mr. and Mrs. Proctor of Sidney, Ohio, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Voreas, started on their return trip Saturday, motoring through.
Mrs. Flora Zierbach from Clinton, Ohio, and Mrs. Barbara Mott of Canal Winchester, O., came Thursday to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Zierbach. Solomon Hiles is confined to his home by illness.
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lincoln of Petoskey, who have been visiting with friends here, have returned home.
Rev. S. L. Shaplaugh, the new pastor of the Baptist church has arrived and began his ministry. Rev. Shaplaugh comes from Petoskey where he has been pastor the last three years. He is a graduate of Hillsdale college and expects to make a favorable impression on those he meets. His family consists of wife and three daughters, two of whom are teachers in the Flint schools and the youngest a junior of the high school. He will occupy the Fennels Shunk home on Emerson street, when his family arrives and the household goods get here.
Marriage licenses have been granted to Calvin A. Dalrymple 22, Elwell, and Mabel Irene Hood 20, Alma; Lewis Crawford 25, Alma, Edna Freeman 20, Ontario, Can.; Lester M. Wolfe 21, Macle A. Merrill 20, St. Louis; Jay Burton 24, Thora Wright 18, both of North Star.
Mr. and Mrs. Ora L. Smith, Rev. and Mrs. A. W. Mumford of Perrinton and Mrs. T. A. Smith and little son of Chicago are spending two weeks at Chippewa lake.

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